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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street S.W
Washington, DC 20002

Re: DIRECTV SERVICE TO HAWAII AND ALASKA : MB Docket No. 03-82;

Dear Ms Dortch:

Finally Directv is supplying Hawaii with the same programming as the rest of the country.

Directv did a press release dated 12/8/2005 saying that we now have Hawaii local channels on Directv. As a Directv dealer I am told that we are going to need a 1.2 meter dish that is still not available even today from Directv and exceeds the limit size for all locations that are covered by home owners associations, SHVA and all other normal installs.

Directv continues to deny all Hawaii Directv dealers including myself with any of this equipment, and only supplies Ironwood Communications in Honolulu at no charge. Directv continues not to list any other dealers in Hawaii on their web site or when a customer calls in.

These actions by Directv continue to show their bad faith against Hawaii and its dealers. They have the satellites that can be used to provide Hawaii a signal with a lot smaller dish. Directv should be held to the same standard of signal strength that is used in the continental USA. Directv should be forced to supply all dealers in Hawaii with all the equipment that is needed at the same price as Ironwood communications or any other Directv installing dealer.

Please hold Directv accountable for these continuing bad faith actions.

Thank You

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